



TWIN BEDDED ROOM AT CASA ARNEL

OAXACA, MEXICO

January 6 To February 7th, 2017



ROOFTOP PATIO AT CASA ARNEL

\$700-\$750 per week includes private room in the hotel, airport transfers, breakfasts, plus two full-day excursions - airfare not included.

I hope you will want to join me for a week or two in Oaxaca (pronounced wah-HAH-kah). Oaxaca City is in southern Mexico. It is on a plateau 5,100 feet high surrounded by mountains. It is not a resort area, but a colorful, bustling, vibrant city with lots of things to do. Wonderful parks with local markets, live music, dancing. Lots of art galleries. Opportunities to take cooking lessons, weaving lessons and learn Spanish. There is a large ex-pat community - people from Canada, the US and Europe who return year after year -- as well as many opportunities to interact with the locals.

Several all-day excursions are included - one to Monte Alban to the Zapotec ruins as well as stops in several towns to see the weaving of rugs. Another trip is to Mitla which includes stops to the mescal factory and a stop at Hierve el Agua which are limestone cliffs that look like a frozen waterfall where you can take a refreshing dip in a natural infinity pool with truly spectacular views.

There are many language schools where you can take Spanish lessons for between \$100 to \$150 a week for group or private lessons. The schools also plan other events that you can join in to experience the culture of the area. I am planning on taking Spanish lessons when I get there. I took two weeks of classes and found it very helpful, plus a great way to meet people.

I'm also planning on going to the coast for a few days on my next trip around January 17th approx. You can take an eight-hour bus

ride through the mountains on switch-back roads or fly there in 30-45 minutes (my choice). I'm thinking of an area called San Agustinillo, but I'll be doing more research.

The weather in January this year was high 70's-low 80's during the day, but 50's, even high 40's late at night and very early morning. It was perfect to me.

Please feel free to call me with any questions and to make a reservation at 781 925-1612. \$200 is all you need to reserve your spot. You can join me for as long as you want - a week, 10 days, two weeks. It is up to you.

Looking forward to hearing from you so I can give you more information.

Happy Travels,

Eileen, Travel Addict

Eileen's Travel Adventures